

From: The Real KMK!
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: elisa.bircher@tdci.state.tx.us
Subject: Response to Letter
Date: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 8:37:33 AM

Mr. Matson,

I wanted to let you know that I am mailing the information that you requested today, December 14th. **I am sending it to your referenced Post Office Box address in Lansing, Michigan, that is under your signature, in the letter that you sent to me.**

I appreciate your concern, and I hope that my responses appropriately work to remedy it or them. I also hope and pray that I am not being treated differently than every other parolee. I have followed ALL of the conditions of my parole, and am working diligently to make a successful transition back to my community. I have not missed any appointments, I have paid my supervision fees, I have reconnected with my family, I have been very involved with my children, I don't drink, I don't use drugs, I don't smoke cigarettes, I am very involved with my church, and yes, I have made ALL of my restitution payments on time.

The spokesperson for the MDOC said on a news program, referring to me, that "Texas must not know this guys history."

Mr. Matson, I hope and pray that its not my "so called" history that is guiding this pursuit, but simply and endeavor to work with me to pay the restitution that is owed to the City of Detroit, the best way that I can, according to some rules, procedures and guidelines. I, unfortunately, expected unfair harassment from the Wayne County Prosecutor, Judge Groner and even the Media. Their information is limited, and their motives are not aligned to any rule, procedure or guideline of my parole. But I did have a hopeful expectation that the MDOC would not pile on. I humbly request that you would not "pile on".

Thank Mr. Matson. I will continue to assist you in any way that I can, regarding this restitution matter.

Kwame M. Kilpatrick

OK to
send
out

From: The Real KMK!
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: elisa.bircher@tdcj.state.tx.us; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; dan@hajilaw.com
Subject: Kwame Kilpatrick (Fed Ex Response to Letter)
Date: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 4:42:59 PM

Mr. Matson,

I just wanted to let you know that I have sent the responses to your letter by Fed Ex.
I will be tracking the package. It was sent to: 206 East Michigan Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

I called and received a street address for you, because there could be no express delivery to a P.O. Box.

Also, you should know that the phone number that is listed on your letter is a non-working number for the State of Michigan.

The Fed Ex Tracking Information is:

This shipment is scheduled to be sent on 12/14/2011.

Status:	Shipment information sent to FedEx
Tracking number:	<u>793013606284</u>

Thank you very much,

Kwame M. Kilpatrick

From: [REDACTED]
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Subject: Re: Kwame Kilpatrick (Fed Ex Response to Letter)
Date: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 5:19:11 PM

Great! Thank you very much.

Sent from my HTC on the Now Network from Sprint!

----- Reply message -----

From: "Matson, Don (MDOC)" <MatsonD@michigan.gov>
Date: Wed, Dec 14, 2011 3:56 pm
Subject: Kwame Kilpatrick (Fed Ex Response to Letter)
To: "The Real KMK!" <[REDACTED]>
Cc: "elisa.bircher@tdcj.state.tx.us" <elisa.bircher@tdcj.state.tx.us>, "attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com" <attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com>, "dan@hajjilaw.com" <dan@hajjilaw.com>

Good afternoon Mr. Kilpatrick,

I have received your e-mail and appreciate the notification that the information is forthcoming. Upon receipt, I will provide the information to the Michigan Parole Board for review.

Thank you,

Don Matson, Supervisor/DCA
Interstate Compact Unit
IAD Administrator
Michigan Department of Corrections
206 E. Michigan Ave.
Lansing, MI 48933
matsond@michigan.gov

From: The Real KMK! [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 4:43 PM
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: elisa.bircher@tdcj.state.tx.us; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; dan@hajjilaw.com
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FedEx

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To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: elisa.bircher@tdci.state.tx.us; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; dan@hajilaw.com
Subject: FED EX Package arrived
Date: Thursday, December 15, 2011 10:22:12 AM

Mr. Matson,

Just wanted to share the delivery info with you. The letter is there in your office, and has been received and signed for.

Thank you very much.

Kwame M. Kilpatrick

Our records indicate that the following shipment has been delivered:

Ship (P/U) date:	Dec 14, 2011
Delivery date:	Dec 15, 2011 9:56 AM
Sign for by:	J.COWLES
Delivery location:	Lansing, MI
Delivered to:	Receptionist/Front Desk
Service type:	FedEx Priority Overnight
Packaging type:	Your Packaging
Number of pieces:	1
Weight:	1.00 lb.
Special handling/Services:	Deliver Weekday
Tracking number:	<u>793013606284</u>

Shipper Information
Ora Guy
FedEx Services
4200 Regent Blvd.
Building B, 1st Floor
Irving
TX
US
75063

Recipient Information
Don Matson
Michigan Dept of Corrections
206 E. Michigan Avenue
Interstate Compact Office
Lansing
MI
US
48933

From: [REDACTED]
To: Matson, Don (MDOC); Dan Hajie; HAJJI LAW FIRM; micah.haley@tdci.state.tx.us
Subject: Request for Add'l Financial Information
Date: Thursday, January 05, 2012 1:11:52 PM

Mr. Matson,

I have just received your letter dated December 20, 2011, TODAY, January 5th at approximately 11:15am Cst.

I received your letter from my parole officer, at my normal monthly visit. I did not receive it at my home.

I see the date for response that is on the letter is December 29th. Being that this date has passed, and I am receiving the letter today, I am humbly requesting a new deadline date for your receipt of this additional information.

I will begin to pull this information together, as I await your response.

Thank you Mr. Matson,

Kwame Kilpatrick

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To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: dan@hajjilaw.com; Attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us
Subject: Re: Request for Add'l Financial Information
Date: Thursday, January 05, 2012 9:21:45 PM

Mr. Matson,

Thanx for getting back to me.
I will certainly do all I can to meet your demand.

Kwame Kilpatrick

-----Original Message-----

From: Matson, Don (MDOC) (MDOC) <MatsonD@michigan.gov>
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: HAJJI LAW FIRM <dan@hajjilaw.com>; Dan Hajje <Attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com>; micah.haley <micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us>
Sent: Thu, Jan 5, 2012 7:49 am
Subject: RE: Request for Add'l Financial Information

Mr. Kilpatrick,

Please have the documents back to me within 7 calendar days from today, **end of business Thursday 1/12/12.**

Thank you,

Don Matson, Supervisor/DCA
Interstate Compact Unit
IAD Administrator
Michigan Department of Corrections
206 E. Michigan Ave.
Lansing, MI 48933
(517) 241-5789 - fax
matsond@michigan.gov

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Cc: [dan@hajilaw.com](#); [attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com](#); [micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us](#)
Subject: Request for Additional Information
Date: Thursday, January 12, 2012 9:49:28 AM
Attachments: [MDOCRespAddl.docx](#)

Mr. Matson,

The information that you requested was sent by US Postal Service Express Delivery on yesterday, January 11th.

It should arrive to your office, today, before noon. Attached to this email, you will find a correspondence addressing each question asked. This correspondence is also within the package of information that was sent to you.

I am tracking the package, and wanted you to have the tracking information as well:

****E1283685258US**

Express Mail®

Depart USPS Sort Facility

January 12, 2012

COPPELL, TX 75099

****Guaranteed By:**

January 12, 2012, 12:00 PM

Proof of Delivery

Processed through USPS Sort Facility

January 11, 2012, 7:22 pm

COPPELL, TX 75099

Dispatched to Sort Facility

January 11, 2012, 6:37 pm

****PLANO, TX 75025**

Acceptance

January 11, 2012, 1:34 pm

PLANO, TX 75025

Thank you,

Kwame Kilpatrick

To: Don Matson, MDOC Interstate Compact Unit

From: Kwame Kilpatrick

RE: Request for Additional Financial Information

January 11, 2012

Mr. Matson,

Here is the additional information that you have requested. All supporting documents are attached herein:

1) Copies of tax returns 2008, 2009 and 2010.

- a. I have included a completed copy of my 2008 tax returns.
- b. I have not filed my 2009 or 2010 tax returns because of my incarceration.
- c. I will be filing 2009, 2010 and 2011 prior to April 15th of this year.
- d. 2009 was 10 months of income. 2010 was 5 months of income. 2011 was 4 months of income (you have copies of all of the 2011 checks.)
- e. The 2008 tax year was the last tax filing that my wife and I filed jointly.

2) Any bank accounts and/or credit union accounts you can access money from and the respective statements for the months of January 1, 2011 through December 26, 2011.

- a. From January 1, 2011 to August 2, 2011, I was incarcerated. I had no bank and/or credit union accounts that I could access money from. Nor did I have a bank or credit union account at all.
- b. In September of 2011, I opened an account at [REDACTED] Texas.
- c. The [REDACTED] statements have been provided. Both in the prior information that was sent to you, as well as, with this response.

3) Clarification/Status of the [REDACTED] personal loan.

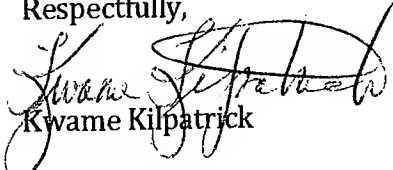
- a. This loan is from private individuals.
 - b. Those individuals are:
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- c. The first payment on the loan was due in November of 2010, during my incarceration. I was unable to make that payment. I have been unable to make any payment since my release. I have notified the grantors of this.
- d. I have included copies of the loan agreement and payment plan.
- e. ALL proceeds from this February 2009 loan have been used. The money is gone.

Mr. Matson, I sincerely hope that this information assists the board in rendering a fair and just decision about my minimum restitution payment. I am doing everything that I can to meet my financial obligations to the State of Michigan, while simultaneously working to be a good husband and father. I truly pray that the stated mission and goals of the Michigan parole authorities, as it relates to supporting and promoting the positive transition of returning citizens, be the guiding principles of their decision.

I received your letter on January 5, 2012, at approximately 11:15AM CST (also documented by TDCJ Parole Officers). I truly appreciate the additional time to comply with your request.

Respectfully,


Kwame Kilpatrick

From: [The Real KMK!](#)
To: [Matson, Don \(MDOC\)](#)
Cc: [dan@hajilaw.com](#); [attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com](#); [micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us](#)
Subject: Revised letter
Date: Thursday, January 12, 2012 9:51:41 AM
Attachments: [MDOCRespAddtl\[1\].doc](#)

Mr. Matson,

This is the letter that was sent to you.
I revised it, and sent you an early draft in the previous email.
Sorry about that.

Kwame Kilpatrick

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From: Kwame Kilpatrick

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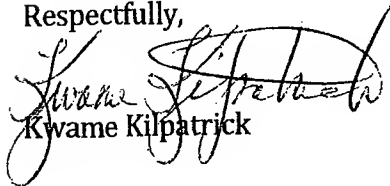
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- [REDACTED]

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To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: dan@hajilaw.com; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; micah.haley@tdci.state.tx.us
Subject: Re: Revised letter
Date: Thursday, January 12, 2012 6:59:45 PM

Mr. Matson,

There is no discrepancy AT ALL! I was answering the direct question that you asked in your 2nd Communication.

You asked the question differently in your first communication.

THE SAME ANSWER APPLIES. I HAD NO BANK ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD REFERENCED, UNTIL SEPTEMBER OF 2011.

Again, the reason that I added the phrase "not that I could access money from", is because you asked the specific question, of having "a bank account and/or credit card account that I could access money from." This language was not in your first request for information.
NO DISCREPANCY AT ALL!

I hope this clarifies this issue. I have to be very careful to be clear. Please confirm that proper clarification has been made. I am willing to assist in any way that I can.

Thank you Mr. Matson,

Kwame Kilpatrick

From: [REDACTED]
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: dan@hajilaw.com; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us
Subject: Re: Revised letter
Date: Thursday, January 12, 2012 10:00:51 PM

You are so Welcome!
Thank you Mr. Matson.

Kwame Kilpatrick

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From: [The Real KMK!](#)
To: [Matson, Don \(MDOC\)](#)
Cc: [dan@hajilaw.com](#); [attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com](#); [JThomas@plunkettcooney.com](#); [michnaugh1@gmail.com](#); [micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us](#)
Subject: Tax Form
Date: Monday, January 23, 2012 12:54:28 PM
Attachments: [ParoleTaxForm.pdf](#)

Mr. Matson,

I have just received the Tax Form that you sent to me, at 11:22am CST on Monday, January 23, 2012. I have been told by my Parole Officer, Mrs. Minneyfield, that my response is due back to you by "close of business" today, Monday, January 23rd, 2012.

Although, I truly believe that the designated response timeline is unfairly short (having just received the forms), I am far more confused about what you are requesting from me. As I sent to you, in my previous response to you/Interstate Compact, I have not filed taxes for years 2009, 2010 and 2011. I plan to do so prior to the April 15th deadline, unless I am advised by counsel not to do so. I did, however forward to you my 2008 Tax Returns (Federal, State, City). Tax Year 2008 was the final year that my wife and I filed Taxes jointly (which I also stated in my prior response). We have no plans to file jointly in the future.


I see, however, that you have placed my wife's name in the heading of the Tax Form Document. My wife is not a citizen of the State of Michigan, nor is she (in any way) under the jurisdiction of the State of Michigan (MDOC), The Michigan Parole Board, Interstate Compact, the State of Texas (TDCJ), or the United States Justice Department.

I want to fully comply with any and everything that is requested of me from Interstate Compact, The Michigan Parole Board and TDCJ. I want to make sure that I fully understand what is being requested from me as well. Please help me in this matter, so I can make a timely, accurate and complete response to your request.

Thank you Mr. Matson.

Respectfully,

Kwame Kilpatrick

 Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision		COMPACT ACTION REQUEST	
To: Texas	Date: 01/20/2012	Type of supervision: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parole <input type="checkbox"/> Probation	Is this case: <input type="checkbox"/> Registered Sex Offender <input type="checkbox"/> Victim sensitive
From: Michigan	Phone #: 817-335-1370	Fax #: 517-241-5789	
OFFENDER INFORMATION			
Offender's full name (last, first, MI): Kilpatrick, Kwame M.		Offender number: 156752 Sending state#: 702408 Receiving state#: 08972142	
AKA:			
SS#: (if available)	FBI#: (if available)	Sex: M	Race: Black
DOB: 06/06/1970			
REQUEST			
Specialization Indicator:			
<p>Please have offender Kilpatrick sign, date and print his name at the bottom of IRS Form 8821, attached. Provide instructions to offender Kilpatrick to refrain from making any alterations, such as checking off additional boxes, to the form. IRS requires offender Kilpatrick???s wife to be listed on the form due to their taxes being filed jointly. Her signature is not required.</p> <p>After Kilpatrick signs, dates and prints his name, please fax copies of the form to the IRS at (801) 620-4248 and Tom Combs, Chairperson of the Michigan Parole Board at (517) 335-0093. Michigan is also requesting you submit a copy of the signed form to your response to this CAR. Kilpatrick may receive a copy at his request.</p> <p>In the event Texas has any questions regarding the form or process, Daphne Johnson, Administrator of Legal Affairs for the Michigan Department of Corrections, may be contacted at (517) 373-0450.</p> <p>Thank you</p>			
Supervising Officer/Location: Lisa Gros	Date: 01/20/2012	Compact Administrator/Designee: Don Matson	Date: 01/20/2012
REPLY			
Supervising Officer/Location:	Date:	Compact Administrator/Designee:	Date:

From: The Real KMK!
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: dan@hajilaw.com; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; JThomas@plunkettcooney.com; michnaugh1@gmail.com; micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us
Subject: Re: Tax Form
Date: Tuesday, January 24, 2012 9:52:16 AM

Thank you for your response Mr. Matson. I truly appreciate your helping me to better understand this issue. Receiving a form around noon, and being asked to sign "or else" by close of business, on the same day, was very discomforting. Especially, when there had been no explanation of this new form with my wife's name on it. I believe (pray) that the goals of parole, (aside from it supervisory role in assuring that the parolee is not committing any new crimes and/or engaging in any illegal activity) is also to assist him/her in making a positive transition back into society, extends to me as well. The part about assisting in reconnecting and rebuilding trust with family members is one I like best. After I, and many others, have put their families through hell, we want to be a blessing to our loved ones, not a burden. I sincerely hope and pray that this mission extends to me as well.

I picked up the form from the TDCJ office last evening, and spoke with my Parole Officer, as well as the supervisor of the Office. Both of them agreed, with my request to have the time to discuss the form with my attorney, and bring it back today. They also specified to me, that this was allowable, and there was no hard deadline of yesterday.

I sent my attorney a copy of the form, and discussed this matter with him on last night. I will sign the form on this morning (at 10:30AM CST), at the TDCJ office here in Dallas.

Thank you again for your response. I know that I called and left a few messages at your office, and on your Voicemail. Please forgive my tenacious diligence. I was only working to understand your request, as to assure full, accurate and complete compliance with it.

Respectfully,

Kwame Kilpatrick


From: The Real KMK!
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: dan@hajilaw.com; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; JThomas@plunkettcooney.com; michnaugh1@gmail.com; micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us
Subject: Re: Tax Form
Date: Tuesday, January 24, 2012 3:51:04 PM

Great to hear!
Thanx Mr. Matson.

Kwame Kilpatrick
[REDACTED]

-----Original Message-----

From: Matson, Don (MDOC) (MDOC) <MatsonD@michigan.gov>
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: dan <dan@hajilaw.com>; attorneysofmichigan <attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com>; JThomas <JThomas@plunkettcooney.com>; michnaugh1 <michnaugh1@gmail.com>; micah.haley <micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us>
Sent: Tue, Jan 24, 2012 9:16 am
Subject: RE: Tax Form

The Texas PO submitted the signed form to us.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Don Matson, Supervisor/DCA
Interstate Compact Unit
IAD Administrator
Michigan Department of Corrections
206 E. Michigan Ave.
Lansing, MI 48933
(517) 241-7100
(517) 241-5789 - fax
matsond@michigan.gov

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 24, 2012 12:46 PM
To: Matson, Don (MDOC)
Cc: dan@hajilaw.com; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; JThomas@plunkettcooney.com; michnaugh1@gmail.com; micah.haley@tdcj.state.tx.us
Subject: Re: Tax Form

Mr. Matson,

The signed form was given to TDCJ at 10:42AM CST this morning.

Thank you,

Kwame Kilpatrick

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Cc: dan@hajilaw.com; attorneysofmichigan@gmail.com; michnaugh1@gmail.com; JThomas@plunkettcooney.com; goodverdict@msn.com; [Matson.Don \(MDOC\)](mailto:Matson.Don@MDOC); Jacqueline.Dickerson@tdcj.state.tx.us
Subject: Kilpatrick Parole Concern Letter
Date: Friday, February 03, 2012 3:10:20 PM
Attachments: [Cleveland Agreement.docx](#)
[Tom Joyner Letter.pdf](#)
[NFBPASpeakerAgreement-KwameKilpatrick.docx](#)
[Cleveland Agreement.docx](#)
[NFBPASpeakerAgreement-KwameKilpatrick.docx](#)
[Tom Joyner Letter.pdf](#)

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On August 2nd, 2011, I was released from prison in Michigan, and given permission to return to my home in Texas, where my family and I reside. I am a Texas Resident, and have been since February of 2009.

Before my release, Michigan Parole asked me, whether I would have employment, upon my return to Texas. I replied that I would be a Public/Motivational Speaker, Lecturer and Author. I had my first speech booked at Philander-Smith College, even before I was released. Texas was completely informed about this, and agreed to ALL of my parole conditions. As a part of my conditions, I am required to make monthly payments of restitution to Detroit, in the amount of \$160.00. I have NEVER missed a payment nor been late for a payment. That amount is currently being reviewed by the Michigan Parole Board to determine whether the amount is appropriate, or not. The \$160.00 amount is based on my earning \$5000 per month, minus my monthly bill and expense responsibilities (as with all other parolees). As of today, no decision has been made by Michigan, and I am continuing to pay the current amount as ordered by my parole officer.

In November, a Detroit (NBC Affiliate) camera crew flew to Texas and followed me for over a week. Of Course they found that I was living a great law abiding, somewhat boring life, but questioned the monthly amount of my restitution payment, because (per the media story) of the cost of the monthly lease payments of the home that I live in. As you well know, my wife pays the lease (as she has done for the past 20 months, while I was incarcerated). These news stories prompted the current review of my monthly restitution payments by the Michigan Parole Board (I have FULLY complied with all request. I HAVE NOTHING TO HIDE). But also within this story, they tenaciously attacked the TDCJ, and their supposedly "soft" treatment of me. Within one week of that story, TDCJ officials visited me at my home, and abrupt sweeping changes were made; parole reporting requirements, number of contacts with parole officials, and even my opportunities to earn income were substantially changed. This has caused severe harm, in my ability to earn income, pay my court ordered restitution, and even the overall scheduling of my professional, personal and family obligations.

Although, I am a resident of Tarrant County, and have been since 2009, my parole officer and reporting office was immediately changed, from a closer office, in Fort Worth, to one in Downtown Dallas. There are at least 3 other TDCJ parole offices closer to my home. This is a real problem for me, because we only have one vehicle. With my professional, personal and family responsibilities, this causes a great deal of issues for my family and me. This action, together with the fact that my contacts with parole have significantly increased, have caused the travel distance to become a serious problem. As a matter of fact, during the months of December and January, I was asked to come to the Dallas parole office on 9 separate occasions, as well as contacted by phone 21 separate times (I have all call logs), by multiple TDCJ parole officials from the Dallas Office (Many times there are multiple calls from multiple people, asking the same question, or asking for the same information). On numerous occasions, I have been asked to physically come down to the parole office on the day of the phone call, or even the next day without any prior notification. Yesterday, February 2nd, I was told to report to the Texas Work Commission, on today, February 3rd to register for a job. I am extremely confused about this, because 1) I have a job, and 2) They know that I don't have transportation. By the grace of God, I was given an extension, by Dallas Office officials, to Monday, February 6th to report to the

Texas Work Commission.

But most oppressive and troubling, are the changes that have taken place in my ability to travel.

I earn income through Public/Motivational Speaking, Appearance Fees and Marketing. My parole officer, Ms. Menyfield, nor Dallas One Parole Supervisor, Micah Haley, (*who both seem to be as confused as I with this "unprecedented" process for me only*), have been stripped of any authority to approve travel on my behalf. According to the Dallas Parole Office my travel is to be approved by Field Operations Director Patrick Ivey, who is in Austin, TX. I have never met, nor spoken with Mr. Ivey, but I have called his office, in Austin several times, and left messages to do so. So many people are supervising me that I truly want to at least meet, and/or have a conversation with all of them.

Since this change has taken place, it has essentially stopped any ability for me to earn income through my current means of employment. As booked dates for travel and income earning opportunities are being denied, TDCJ is imploring me to "look for a job", and seemingly simultaneously making the claim that I don't have a "real" one. This has significantly harmed my ability to take care of my family, and pay my court ordered restitution. I earned NO INCOME for the entire month of January, and had to borrow money to pay the monthly restitution.

I was asked in December to do an exclusive interview, in New York City, with the Wall Street Journal at their Manhattan Headquarters. The Newspaper chose me, as well as my book, to profile for their redemption series (*Which would have significantly helped me book more speaking dates & boost book sales*). I was to be the third person after Michael Vick and Jalen Rose. It was only a one-night trip to New York, and ALL information was given to parole. After taking more than a week to respond, I was denied the opportunity to participate, apparently by Mr. Ivey.

Just yesterday, I was denied another opportunity for earning income, when Mr. Ivey turned down, a trip to Cleveland apparently. I was to speak and host an auction for the American Heart Association in Cleveland on Saturday evening, February 10th. ALL of my travel and accommodations were being provided (like all the rest of the trips), and the organization is paying me a \$1500 appearance fee. They are also allowing me to sale and sign books for the evening (*100% of Book proceeds go to pay restitution*). They have already advertised my being there, as well as, had me do RADIO DROPS for advertising on numerous radio stations in the Cleveland area. The Clear Channel Radio Station in town is doing a book giveaway (with my book) for raising awareness and dollars for the American Heart Association. I am to Co-Host the auction with one of their on-air personalities. My Plane ticket and Hotel has already been paid for by the organization. This information was given to parole, 10 days ago. I have also signed a contract with the organization that I will return the AIRLINE TICKET COST, if cancellation is my fault (I will attach the Cleveland Event contract to this email).

I have also booked several other speaking engagements for the months of February, March and April as well:

*February 17th-19th in Chicago (\$3000)

*February 25th-27th in Detroit (\$1500)

*March 28th Tom Joyner Book Club (\$1500)

*National Association of Black Public Administrators in Virginia Beach, VA (\$5000) in April.

ALL of these opportunities are also allowing me to sale and sign books as well. I can earn significantly more, as I told Mr. Haley (Dallas Parole Supervisor), but I am quite nervous about booking dates, and not being able to travel. As you know, many of these organizations need to know of my commitment well in advance of the event date, because of scheduling, marketing and organizing. My parole officer has told me, that I should give notice of my intention to travel at least 48 hours prior to the trip. I have given notice of these events far in advance of the 48-hour notice (24 in the your own TDCJ policy), and still have not received an answer for more than a week or two. This has forced organizations to spend far more dollars on airline tickets, and even worse find someone else to do their event. I have loss 3 events because of this new process as well (I can also forward this loss event information to you as well). This has not only hurt my ability to earn income, but has begun a conversation in this industry that I am unable to commit in a timely fashion. The cancellation in Cleveland would be devastating.

ALSO, I don't believe that there are ANY jobs at the Texas Work Commission, where I could earn as much income as I could from what I am doing now. If it is TDCJ's mission to promote positive offender change through effective supervision, programs, and services, then please allow me to earn income to do just that.


I am a first time non-violent offender. I am not on parole for a drug, violence or sex offender conviction. I have a college degree, as well as a law degree. I have not had any violations to my parole, and I have fully complied with ALL of my parole conditions, request and obligations. As a matter of fact, there has not been any concern, from TDCJ nor Michigan Officials, about my recommitting a crime, using drugs/alcohol, nor being a danger to anyone or anything in society.

I understand that I am a "high-profile" parolee, but I am incredibly confused as to why I'm being treated differently from ANYONE else. As TDCJ is supervising me as a courtesy for Michigan, they are responsible for approving travel. I understand that the setting of my monthly restitution payment amount is the responsibility of the sending state (Michigan), but issues of travel, earning income, and opportunity to make a successful transition from prison to family and community is the responsibility of TDCJ. This matter of travel has nothing to do with Michigan.

I am a citizen of the State of Texas, and I plan to continue to work, and raise my family here. My children have completed 3 grades in the Texas Schools, my wife is very involved in our community, and we all love it here. I have never asked for any special treatment, nor do I want to be treated especially bad.

I am humbly and respectfully requesting that the seemingly discriminatory and arbitrary nature of my parole supervision cease. I would also respectfully request that you reconsider your decision to deny my booked engagement in Cleveland, Ohio. It would be the first income that I have earned in the New Year. I truly want to be able to earn income, pay the restitution that I was ordered to pay, and put my life back together.

Thank you for any assistance that you can give.

Kwame Kilpatrick


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February 11, 2012

Coffee and Conversation in the Community at Urbean Joe's Coffee Shop and MC, Speaker and Participate in the Bachelor Auction at Thistledown Racetrack.

Program Description:

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5. Should events conspire to cause cancellation of book signing:

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Providing

Signature of/or for the Author:

Signature of the Event Planner:

Date: _____

Date: _____

You may scan and return the signed document to: creatingmilestones@gmail.com



January 9, 2012

Via Email

Kwame Kilpatrick

Dear Mr. Kilpatrick:

This letter is to thank you for accepting our invitation to be a part of Sybil's Book Club on the Tom Joyner Fantastic Voyage 2012, March 25th – 31st. This agreement has been made between the Tom Joyner Foundation, Inc. and Kwame Kilpatrick ("Talent") relating to participation in the Sybil's Book Club event and other mutually agreed upon events, to take place during the 2012 Fantastic Voyage.

In connection therewith, Tom Joyner Foundation agrees to provide the following:

- Setup for Sybil's Book Club Event.
- Opportunity to sell product aboard or during seminar (applicable sales commission TDB)
- Appearance Fee \$1,500.00
- All rights and privileges commensurate with 1 passenger cabin
- Flight Buyout
- Ground transportation

Accordingly, and as consideration for the rooms and other elements above, Talent agrees to provide:

- Participation in Sybil's Book Club
- Participation in autograph signing and meet and greet;

Please acknowledge your agreement to the above by executing below and returning as soon as possible.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Oscar Joyner".

Oscar Joyner, President

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

KWAME KILPATRICK

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____

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January 13, 2012

Mr. Kwame Kilpatrick

Dear Mr. Kilpatrick:

On behalf of the National Forum for Black Public Administrators (NFBPA) Board of Directors and membership, we are delighted that you have agreed to participate in an Ethics Workshop for our twenty-ninth annual conference, FORUM 2012 in Virginia Beach, VA on Saturday, April 21, 2012 at the Virginia Beach Convention Center.

The theme for the conference is **Theme: WAVES OF CHANGE, OCEANS OF OPPORTUNITY, REPOSITIONING OUR COMMUNITIES FOR THE FUTURE**" As Public Administrators, walking the fine line is one of our toughest jobs. The local government environment is complicated. Community needs and desires far exceed resources. Add to that the challenge to build trust with a sometimes skeptical public. What subtleties do we, as African Americans need to be aware of, and what action plan, as public administrators, should we develop to prepare for future survival of urban communities in these complicated times. The FORUM attracts more than 1000 managers and executives serving local and state governments across the nation. Thank you for agreeing to help us mark 29 years of excellence in public service.

The National Forum for Black Public Administrators' mission is to strengthen the capacity of state and local government managers and to groom and prepare younger, aspiring administrators for senior public management posts in the years ahead. We are excited about the opportunity to bring to our membership and others, leaders who can speak to the many challenges, opportunities, and rewards of leadership in the public and private sectors.

NFBPA is the nation's premier association of African American public sector leadership. Founded in 1983, NFBPA boasts a membership of over 2,600 public administrators representing over 350 local jurisdictions and a national network of 40 local chapters. As we rapidly move through a new century, it is imperative that we hear from visionary public servants whose leadership experience can inspire others to also provide leadership that ultimately makes a difference in communities across this great nation.

In consideration of your speaking, NFBPA has agreed to your speaking fee of \$5,000 inclusive of roundtrip airfare for two people. Overnight accommodations for one night and ground transfers will be arranged and paid for by NFBPA. A Book Signing is requested after the workshop. While NFBPA does not purchase books in advance, we will work with your office to make arrangements with a local book vendor should you desire those services.

Please note the more specific details in the Speaker Agreement document which is attached. Additional details will be provided as we move closer to conference dates.

Ms. Margaret H. Williams of Pizzazz Meeting & Event Planning Group, Inc., our conference planner, will be your principal contact and she can be reached at (813) 235-9502. Additional background information on NFBPA can be found on our website at www.nfbpa.org. We can certainly send you the program for our FORUM 2011 annual conference held in Chicago, IL under separate mailing, if you would like.

If you should have any questions, please contact me directly at (202) 408-9300, Ext 1-101.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John E. Saunders, III".

John E. Saunders, III, CAE
Executive Director

Cc: Margaret H. Williams, Pizzazz MEPG, Inc.
Jacqueline Whitman, NFBPA

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SPEAKER AGREEMENT

This agreement is to confirm the appearance of Kwame Kilpatrick, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] at FORUM 2012, Annual Conference of NFBPA.

Program Focus/ **Theme: WAVES OF CHANGE, OCEANS OF
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Events: **Saturday Ethics Panel Workshop**

April 21, 2012

Location: Virginia Beach Convention Center

Time: 10:00am -12:30pm

Audience: 400 Public Administrators, corporate sponsors

Dress: Business attire

Fee: \$5,000.00 50% deposit due upon signing - \$2500.00; balance due day of participation

Press interview before or after appearance: (TBD) Yes ___ No ___

Reception scheduled before or after appearance: Yes ___ No X

Book signing scheduled after appearance per speaker's request Yes X No ___

Speaker's biographical information and photo required Yes X No ___
Provide jpg file & bio(received) to bessie.edwards1@verizon.net by 1/20/12

Important – Please Note

1. This Agreement is not assignable to a third party without the express written consent of both parties to this Agreement.
2. Please return signed agreement to NFBPA not later than January 20, 2012
3. NFBPA reserves the right to videotape and photograph speakers for FORUM 2012.
4. Room will be set theater style using existing staging.
5. A Pizzazz Meeting & Event Planning Group staff representative will contact speaker prior to the engagement to finalize details.

Please indicate your acceptance of this Agreement by signing below.

Kwame Kilpatrick or Representative

Date _____

John E. Saunders, III, Executive Director
NFBPA

Date _____

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE PRESENTATION WILL BE VIDEOTAPED WITH WRITTEN
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VIDEO CONSENT AND RELEASE

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CLIENT: National Forum for Black Public Administrators

SPEAKER: Kwame Kilpatrick

We understand that AV CO-OP, contracted by NFBPA, may be recording footage of the Ethics Workshop to be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012 at the Virginia Beach Convention Center, Virginia Beach, VA, including participation on a panel of speakers.

DVDs are produced by NFBPA which consist of a compilation of conference activities including excerpts of speakers. Excerpts consist of no more than a 90-second snippet. NFBPA will make the DVDs available for sale to its members, on its website for three (3) months following the conference. The proceeds from the sale cover the cost of production of the DVDs. The speaker, may review and approve the DVD prior to sale.

By signing of this agreement, Keynote Speaker, Kwame Kilpatrick, gives permission for a 90 second segment of his presentation at this event, be used on the NFBPA website as part of a conference compilation video and for archival purposes.

It is also understood that the copyright and ownership of the footage is to be retained by the NFBPA, and that any other usage other than outlined above will be allowed only with prior written consent.

This agreement is an integral part of a contract between the signing parties, dated January 13, 2012.

Kwame Kilpatrick or representative _____

Workshop Speaker

Date: _____

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